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25X1X7

"UNITED STATES [REDACTED]

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AGREEMENT [REDACTED]

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A. PURPOSE: FOR THE PURPOSE OF CARRYING 3  
OUT PHOTO RECONNAISSANCE, AIRBORNE ELECTRONIC 4  
COLLECTION, AND OTHER SPECIAL AIRBORNE 5  
OPERATIONS JOINTLY AGREED ON AGAINST THE 6

25X1X7 [REDACTED]

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25X1X7 [REDACTED] WILL COOPERATE WITH U. S. SIDE IN [REDACTED]

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25X1A2g [REDACTED] AND PROVIDE THE OPERATIONAL BASE AND

25X1A2g

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ASSOCIATED FACILITIES FOR THIS PROJECT. THE 10  
PURPOSE OF THIS AGREEMENT IS TO CLARIFY THE 11  
RELATIONSHIP AND ESTABLISH RESPONSIBILITIES 12

25X1X7 [REDACTED] AMERICAN COUNTERPARTS ON

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25X1A2g [REDACTED] THIS AGREEMENT IS DRAWN

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AND AGREED TO BY THE [REDACTED] AND BY USATG 25X1X7 15  
(FOR U. S.) TO GUIDE FUTURE OPERATIONS. 16

B. EFFECTIVE PERIOD:

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(1) THE EFFECTIVE PERIOD OF THIS 18  
AGREEMENT IS THREE (3) YEARS. REVIEW 19  
AND NEGOTIATIONS SHALL BE CONDUCTED 20  
PRIOR TO THE EXPIRATION OF THE AGREEMENT 21  
TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE AGREEMENT 22

NEGOTIATION SHOULD BE ACCOMPLISHED 24  
THREE (3) MONTHS PRIOR TO THE EXPIRATION 25  
DATE. 26

(2) SHOULD EITHER PARTY DESIRE TO 27  
TERMINATE THE AGREEMENT THE PARTY 28  
DESIRING SUCH TERMINATION WILL NOTIFY 29  
THE OTHER PARTY SIX (6) MONTHS IN 30  
ADVANCE. 31

(3) AT THIS TIME BOTH PARTIES 32  
AGREE THAT PROJECT [REDACTED] HAS AN 33 25X1A2g  
INDEFINITE, LONG LIFE SPAN IN EXCESS 34  
OF THREE YEARS. HOWEVER, IT IS 35  
FURTHER AGREED THAT FUTURE EVENTS 36  
COULD RESULT IN MUTUAL AGREEMENT TO 37  
TERMINATE AT ANY TIME AND TERMINATION 38  
MAY BE MADE BY SUCH MUTUAL AGREEMENT. 39

C. SPECIAL INSTRUMENT AND EQUIPMENT: 40

(1) THE U.S. SIDE IS RESPONSIBLE FOR 41  
PROVIDING SPECIAL INSTRUMENTS, MAIN- 42  
TENANCE, SUPPLYING SPARE PARTS AND 43  
FURNISHING SPECIAL EQUIPMENT FOR THE 44  
PROJECT. 45

(2) SPECIAL INSTRUMENTS WILL USE 46

25X1X7

[REDACTED] AND SERIAL NUMBERS WHEN 47

RECOVERED [REDACTED] EXCEPT WHEN 49  
OPERATIONAL MISSIONS ARE FLOWN BY 50  
U. S. PILOTS. 51

(3) THE U. S. SIDE RETAINS THE PRE- 52  
ROGATIVE TO REMOVE SPECIAL INSTRUMENTS, 53  
25X1X7 UPON NOTIFYING [REDACTED] WHEN REQUIRED 54  
FOR OTHER U. S. COMMITMENTS. HOWEVER, 55  
IT IS UNDERSTOOD AN OPERATIONAL 56  
CAPABILITY WILL BE RETAINED TO SATISFY 57  
THE PURPOSE OF THIS AGREEMENT. 58

(4) UPON TERMINATION OF THIS AGRE- 59  
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PARTS AND SPECIAL EQUIPMENT FOR THE 61  
PROJECT MAY BE REMOVED BY THE U. S. 62  
SIDE. 63

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25X1X7 (1) [REDACTED] WILL PROVIDE THE OPERATIONAL 65  
BASE AND ASSOCIATED FACILITIES FOR THE 66  
PROJECT. 67

(2) ANY NEW CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATION 68  
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OF EQUIPMENT MUST BE JOINTLY AGREED. THE 70  
U. S. SIDE WILL FINANCE NEW CONSTRUCTION AND 71  
RENOVATION COSTS RELATING TO EXISTING 72

(3) TITLE TO ALL PERMANENT CONSTRUCTION 74  
WITHIN THE PROJECT SITE AREA PASSES TO THE 75  
25X1X7 [REDACTED] NOR THE U.S. 76  
SIDE HAVE FURTHER USE FOR THE OPERATIONAL 77  
AREA. IN THAT EVENT, HOWEVER, THE U.S. 78  
SIDE MAY REMOVE ALL FIXTURES AND 79  
SUPPLIES WHICH IT HAS INSTALLED. 80

(4) UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES 81  
THE PROJECT SITE AND FACILITIES MAY BE 82  
USED FOR OPERATIONS OF INTEREST SOLELY 83  
TO THE U.S. SIDE, BUT SUCH USE WILL BE 84  
SUBJECT TO PRIOR NOTIFICATION, INCLUDING 85  
IDENTIFICATION OF THE GENERAL OBJECTIVES 86  
OF THE ACTIVITY CONTEMPLATED, AND 87  
25X1X7 SUBJECT TO [REDACTED] 88

E. OPERATIONS AND TRAINING: 89

(1) THE U.S. SIDE IS RESPONSIBLE FOR 90  
OPERATIONAL TRAINING OF [REDACTED] PILOTS OF 25X1C 91  
SPECIAL INSTRUMENTS, AND FOR PROVIDING 92  
ASSISTANCE FOR TRAINING OF OTHER [REDACTED] 25X1X7 93  
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AS REQUIRED. 95

(2) A MUTUALLY AGREED JOINT TARGET 96  
LIST WILL BE ESTABLISHED TO SATISFY 97  
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OPERATIONAL MISSIONS BASED ON THE JOINT 101  
TARGET LIST. 102

(3) OPERATIONAL MISSIONS MAY BE 103  
REQUESTED BY EITHER PARTY TO BE 104  
CARRIED OUT ONLY AFTER MUTUALLY AGREED 105  
ON. IT IS AGREED THAT FOR PROJECT [REDACTED] 25X1C 106  
TO BE CONSIDERED PRODUCTIVE TWENTY-FOUR 107  
(24) TO THIRTY-SIX (36) OPERATIONAL MISSIONS 108  
SHOULD BE COMPLETED DURING ANY 12 109  
CONSECUTIVE MONTHS. 110

(4) EITHER PARTY WILL NOTIFY THE 111  
OTHER PARTY APPROXIMATELY TWENTY-FOUR 112  
(24) HOURS IN ADVANCE WHEN OPERATIONAL 113  
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WEATHER. IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS 121  
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(2) U. S. SIDE WILL PROVIDE FUNDS FOR 176  
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25X1X7 [REDACTED] PERSONNEL ASSIGNED DIRECTLY TO 178  
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(4) IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF BOTH 192  
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(1) ANY POINT NOT COVERED IN THIS 216  
AGREEMENT MAY BE DEVELOPED BY MUTUAL 217  
AGREEMENT OF DESIGNATED REPRESENTATIVES 218  
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(2) THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BECOME 221  
EFFECTIVE ON THE DATE OF BEING SIGNED 222  
BY REPRESENTATIVES OF BOTH PARTIES. 223

25X1X7 [REDACTED] REPRESENTATIVE USATG 224

DATE \_\_\_\_\_ 225

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